

**U.S. Census Bureau Data (1990): Regional Summary of Population, Housing, Sewerage, and Plumbing Data for Small Communities  
(Population <10,000)**

	POPULATION			HOUSING UNITS <sup>1</sup>		
	Total Region	Small Communities	Percent in Small Communities	Total Region	Small Communities	Percent in Small Communities
<b>REGION 1</b>	13,206,943	4,026,123	30.5	5,570,296	1,832,989	32.9
<b>REGION 2</b>	25,720,643	4,415,469	17.2	10,302,201	1,909,234	18.5
<b>REGION 3</b>	25,310,114	9,141,520	36.1	10,397,605	3,803,753	36.6
<b>REGION 4</b>	44,707,766	18,857,525	42.2	19,194,742	7,869,135	41.0
<b>REGION 5</b>	46,384,041	15,165,814	32.7	18,876,411	6,306,074	33.4
<b>REGION 6</b>	28,217,862	9,436,121	33.4	11,764,464	4,009,337	34.1
<b>REGION 7</b>	11,949,787	5,212,476	43.6	5,047,531	2,226,068	44.1
<b>REGION 8</b>	7,604,701	2,612,116	34.3	3,209,079	1,196,278	37.3
<b>REGION 9</b>	35,735,311	4,387,209	12.3	13,750,980	1,845,257	13.4
<b>REGION 10</b>	9,265,805	3,879,240	41.9	3,871,880	1,429,288	36.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>248,102,973</b>	<b>77,133,613</b>	<b>31.1</b>	<b>101,985,189</b>	<b>32,427,413</b>	<b>31.8</b>

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	SEWAGE DISPOSAL (Housing Units) <sup>2</sup>					
	Total Region					
	Public Sewer	Septic Tank or Cesspool	No Treatment (Outhouses and Privies)	Total w/o Public Sewers	Percent w/o Public Sewers	Percent w/o Treatment (Outhouses and Privies)
<b>REGION 1</b>	3,664,223	1,853,102	52,971	1,906,073	34.2	1.0
<b>REGION 2</b>	8,420,406	1,818,763	63,032	1,881,795	18.3	0.6
<b>REGION 3</b>	7,585,647	2,653,224	158,734	2,811,958	27.0	1.5
<b>REGION 4</b>	11,926,951	6,971,454	296,337	7,267,791	37.9	1.5
<b>REGION 5</b>	14,325,236	4,381,353	169,822	4,551,175	24.1	0.9
<b>REGION 6</b>	9,019,944	2,620,203	124,317	2,744,520	23.3	1.1
<b>REGION 7</b>	3,869,511	1,102,591	75,429	1,178,020	23.3	1.5
<b>REGION 8</b>	2,593,750	578,560	36,769	615,329	19.2	1.1
<b>REGION 9</b>	12,140,598	1,508,519	101,863	1,610,382	11.7	0.7
<b>REGION 10</b>	2,632,464	1,182,533	56,883	1,239,416	32.0	1.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>76,178,730</b>	<b>24,670,302</b>	<b>1,136,157</b>	<b>25,806,459</b>	<b>25.3</b>	<b>1.1</b>

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	Small Communities						
	Public Sewer	Septic Tank or Cesspool	No Treatment (Outhouses and Privies)	Total w/o Public Sewers	Percent w/o Public Sewers	Percent w/o Treatment (Outhouses & Privies)	Percent of Total w/o Treatment that are in Small Communities
<b>REGION 1</b>	493,206	1,298,494	41,289	1,339,783	73.1	2.3	77.9
<b>REGION 2</b>	667,216	1,211,960	30,058	1,242,018	65.1	1.6	47.7
<b>REGION 3</b>	1,312,077	2,353,207	138,469	2,491,676	65.5	3.6	87.2
<b>REGION 4</b>	2,229,251	5,383,187	256,697	5,639,884	71.7	3.3	86.6
<b>REGION 5</b>	2,372,898	3,791,399	141,777	3,933,176	62.4	2.2	83.5
<b>REGION 6</b>	1,583,781	2,325,014	100,542	2,425,556	60.5	2.5	80.9
<b>REGION 7</b>	1,141,859	1,012,540	71,669	1,084,209	48.7	3.2	95.0
<b>REGION 8</b>	626,986	534,339	34,953	569,292	47.6	2.9	95.1
<b>REGION 9</b>	782,826	1,012,657	49,774	1,062,431	57.6	2.7	48.9
<b>REGION 10</b>	504,516	872,627	52,145	924,772	64.7	3.6	91.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,714,616</b>	<b>19,795,424</b>	<b>917,373</b>	<b>20,712,797</b>	<b>63.9</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>80.7</b>

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	PLUMBING FACILITIES (Housing Units)						
	Total Region			Small Communities			
	Complete	Lacking Complete	Percent Lacking Complete	Complete	Lacking Complete	Percent Lacking Complete	Total Lacking Complete Plumbing that are in Small Communities
<b>REGION 1</b>	5,517,126	53,170	1.0	1,796,484	36,505	2.0	68.7
<b>REGION 2</b>	10,219,262	82,939	0.8	1,886,521	22,713	1.2	27.4
<b>REGION 3</b>	10,264,953	132,652	1.3	3,699,355	104,398	2.7	78.7
<b>REGION 4</b>	18,949,251	245,491	1.3	7,671,617	197,518	2.5	80.5
<b>REGION 5</b>	18,711,319	165,092	0.9	6,193,024	113,050	1.8	68.5
<b>REGION 6</b>	11,605,349	159,115	1.4	3,899,193	110,144	2.7	69.2
<b>REGION 7</b>	4,997,835	49,696	1.0	2,186,933	39,135	1.8	78.7
<b>REGION 8</b>	3,169,707	39,372	1.2	1,162,595	33,683	2.8	85.6
<b>REGION 9</b>	13,643,114	107,866	0.8	1,798,249	47,008	2.5	43.6
<b>REGION 10</b>	3,807,827	64,053	1.7	1,375,144	54,144	3.8	84.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>100,885,743</b>	<b>1,099,446</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>31,669,115</b>	<b>758,298</b>	<b>2.3</b>	<b>69.0</b>

- Housing Units are defined as separate living quarters (e.g., apartment, mobile home, a group of rooms, or single room) in which the occupants live and eat separately from other persons in the building.
- Housing units are either connected to a public sewer, to a septic tank or cesspool, or have no treatment. A public sewer may be operated by a government or private organization.  
A septic tank or cesspool is an underground pit or tank for sewage treatment and no treatment indicates an outhouse or privie.
- Complete plumbing facilities include hot and cold piped water, a flush toilet, and a bathtub or shower. All three facilities must be inside the house (housing unit), but not necessarily in the same room.  
Housing units are lacking complete plumbing when any of the three facilities are not present.